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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 30, 2006, please reconsider the above-identified patent application amended as follows and in light of the following remarks:

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